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Royalty To Be Chosen For D H S Harvest Ball

King and Queen candidates for the Duchesne High School Harvest Ball royalty are entered by each of the four upper grades.

Senior class candidates are: Dian McDonald and Keith Lewis; Juniors: Darlene Brady and Kloyd Marsing; Sophomore: Kay Wright and Stephen Rowley; Freshman: Arlene Wimmer and Jerry Merkley.

A King and Queen will be selected on a popularity basis. Penny votes will be counted on Friday night, Nov. 19, and the Harvest King and Queen crowned during the Harvest Ball that night.

Ballot boxes, decorated with pictures of the team candidates are stationed in the corridor at Duchesne High School.

The Junior class, sponsors of the Harvest Ball, are distributing tickets on a turkey to be given to the lucky ticket holder during the dance.

Tal Wardle's orchestra will play music for the dance. The public is invited.

Error Reported On Election Tally In County

Another error in the previously announced election returns has been reported by Porter L. Merrell, clerk for Duchesne County. Changes in the count, which affected two districts, Montwel and Roosevelt No. 1, will not alter the election finals.

At Montwel in the two judge contests, George Worthen, candidate for Supreme Court Judge, received 37 votes instead of the reported 71, and his opponent, Delbert M. Draper was given 10 instead of 24, and the incumbent Judge, R. L. Tuckett's total count was 14 and not 46 as reported.

Errors in the Roosevelt No. 1 district were on Amendment No. 1—136 voted for the amendment instead of the announced 36; and on Reapportionment the correct tally was 37 against, instead of 371 as reported in the final county returns printed last week.

Bee Inspector Makes Report For Current Year

The annual report of the bee inspector in Duchesne County shows that 3125 colonies of bees were inspected in 94 apiaries for 1954. Out of this number, 69 colonies were diseased in 31 apiaries and all diseased colonies were destroyed by burning or boiling by the owner or the inspector.

Last year, 35 of the 95 apiaries inspected were diseased, and the 120 colonies were destroyed. Total colonies inspected, as shown on the 1953 report were 3255.

Lawrence Yack, of Roosevelt, served as been inspector for this county for both years.

Mrs. Madeline Horrocks visited in Orem, with her son, Milton Bloomquist, over Friday and Saturday.

Fourth District Court To Try Prison Escapee

A Utah State Prison trustee has been over to the District Court at Duchesne on an "escape" charge. The escapee, Eugene Wright, 25, formerly of Brigham City, was arraigned in Duchesne and his preliminary hearing held before Justice Geo. H. Wilcken last week. Judge Wilcken bound the escapee over to the Distsict Court for trial.

Wright made a dash for freedom during mid-October from a Uinta Mountain logging camp near Moon Lake in northern Durhesne County. He was captured by a posse of deupty sheriffs and forest rangers in a mountain cabin near Mountain View, Wyoming. Wright traveled some 75 miles from the prison camp before he was captured.

Ranger Jesse Palm, of Altonah, accompanied the Prison Farm director, Robert E. Devine, in the search for the escaped convict.

Officials' School For Basketball Set For Nov. 22nd

Next Monday, Nov. 22, has been set as the date for the annual Uintah Basin Basketball Officials' school, which will be held at Union High School beginning at 7:30. Horace Rose, executive secretary of the Utah High School Activities Ass'n will conduct the school, and all those desiring to officiate during the coming season in high school basketball should be in attendance to take the tests and receive instruction from Mr. Rose.

In addition to the regular instruction and examination period, time will be devoted to shewing a film, and a general discussion on basketball, from the officials point of view. The public is invited to attend the affair.

Band Selects New Officers For Current Year

The Duchesne school band leaders have been named at DHS this year. Jessup Johnsen is drum major; Steve Esauk, student director; Sherry Lundgren, mascot.

Twirlers are Donna Lundgren, LeAnn Jordan, RoJean Cole, Carolyn Burdick and Barbara Cowan.

Those serving as banner carriers are: Maxine Lewis, Judy Halladay and Laura Mae Oldson.

Reginald Burchinal is faculty director.

Mrs. William Morrison and Mrs. Jack Zimmerman, of Roosevelt, visited on Saturday at the home of Mrs. Hildur Johnstun.

2,068 EXAMINED IN THREE DAYS—while the Chest X-ray Mobile Units and Blood Testing Survey were in Duchesne County, Nov. 8, 9 and 10. . . Standing in the door of the X-ray trailer is Byron Haslem, technician who took the chest X-rays. The two people standing next to Mr. Haslem were not identified. Seated at the table are members of the Culture Club, Mrs. Wesley Dickerson, president, in light coat. They acted as hostesses. —(Photo by Edwards Photo Service).

DHS Names Staff For Publication

Staff members for the bimonthly school publication at the Duchesne High School have been appointed, reports Allen Bond, faculty adviser for the group.

LouAnn Cole is editor of the "Eagle-Lite's" with Betty Jo Jacoby as assistant editor. Kara Lyn Smith and Cheryl Merrell are staff typists.

Ten reporter will serve the publication Amanda Swasey is senior class reporter; Darlene Brady, junior class reporter; Chloe Mecham, sophomore class reporter; Elden Buckalew and Donna Swasey, freshman class reporters; Carol Lee Ortscheid, 7th grade reporter; Beryle Bates, 8th grade reporter; Jessup Johnsen, sports reporter; Rena Simpson, activity reporter; Dian McDonald, music department reporter; and Betty Jo Jacoby, Pep club reporter.

The mimeographed paper will be distributed about the first and 15th of each month. Three to seven sheets will contain a sports section, class reports, a gossip column, a listing of coming events, with humor items used as fill-in material.

Seniors Prepare Annual Class Play

The Senior class will present a three-act comedy during early December. Mrs. Edythe Marett is faculty director of the play, and Louise Liddell is student director. "Thank You, Mr. Parker," is title of the comedy.

To Give Away A Quilt At Play

The Senior class at DHS is planning to give away a silk quilt between acts of their class play, "Thank You Mr. Parker." The quilt, a two-shade of green with a wool and cotton batting, is now being quilted. Kara Lyn Smith and LouAnn Cole marked the quilt pattern.

Class Food Sale On November 19

The Juniors will sponsor another food sale Friday, Nov. 19, at the City Market. The following items will be for sale: candy, cakes, pies, etc.

Everyone please come and cooperate with us, as we will have a lot of good things for sale.

DHS Junior Class

Cheer Leaders

Cheer leaders at DHS have been chosen. They are Virginia Granger, LeAnn Jordan and Donna Lundgren.

All-Out Drive Planned By County T. B. Group

"An all-out drive is being planned by the Duchesne County Tuberculosis and Health Association this year," stated Mrs. D. G. Mantyla, chairman. Much cooperation and assistance is needed to put over a large program, involving so many people. The board members this year consist of:

Mrs. Yvonne Gardner, Roosevelt, secretary; Mrs. Erma Anderton, Mrs. Sarkas Arslanian, Mrs. Katherine Ashby, Mrs. Lillian Christensen, Mrs. LeJeune Dillman, Mrs. LaRue Laris, Mrs. Vida Sailor, Roosevelt; Mrs. Marie Benson, Ioka; Mrs. Rose Gilbert, Myton.

Mrs. Bernice Atwood, Bluebell; Mrs. Nettie Cardile, Tabiona; Mrs. Ora Holgate, Arcadia; Mrs. Agnes Jacoby, Mrs. Connie Robbins Mrs. Maxine Burdick, Duchesne; Mrs. Eldora Mitchell, Altonah; Mrs. Dorothy Moon, Hanna; Mrs. Nola Nelson, Montwel; Mrs. Palmira Peterson, Neola; Mrs. Reva Redden, Upalco; Mrs. Carol Wright, Utahn; Mrs. Joe Swasey, Boneta; Aaron Stevenson, Mt Home, Glen Van Tassell, Bridgeland.

Honorary board members are: Mayor Paul Murphy, Dr.

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ERL D. SIMPSON, Marine Private, son of Mr. and Mrs. Quimby Simpson of Duchesne is undergoing recruit training at the Marine Corps Recruit Depot at San Diego.

Upon completion of the training in November, the new Marines will be transferred to Camp Pendleton, Calif., for further combat training or be assigned to one of the many Marine Corps schools.

Early Issue Next Week Planned It's Thanksgiving

Another year has rolled around, and next week we'll all be celebrating Thanksgiving again. . . Since that nation-old day of giving thanks for our bounteous blessings comes on Thursday, which is our publishing day, we are asking our reporters and advertisers to help us eat Turkey Dinner with our readers.

It will be necessary to print our papers on Wednesday, Nov. 24, thus making it imperative that all news and advertising copy be in one day early — Monday being the deadline. . . Tuesday noon is the deadline for other news and advertising copy.

Per Capita Payment For Ute Members Next Week

Home Equipment Awards In 4-H Work Are Given

The 1954 equipment awards by manufacturing concerns to 4-H Club members and leaders in Duchesne County have been announced by *Mary Lois Reichert, home demonstration agent.*

The Foley Manufacturing Co. awards went to Alma Poulson, Duchesne, food mill; Ila Vaye Lemon, Ioka, pastry frame; Marcia Lemon, Ioka, 5 - cup flour sifter; Carma Smith, Duchesne, food chopper.

Kerr Glass Manufacturing Corp. awards went to the "Duchesne Oven-Poppers" Club, 2 doz. Kerr Mason qt. jars, 1 doz. to Mrs. Mildred Smith, club leader; 2 doz. jars to the "Wishbone Snappers" club of Ioka; 1 doz. to Mrs. Edith Gentry, club leader.

E. L. Murphy Will Again Serve On State School Unit

At the 32nd annual convention of the Utah School Boards Association held at the Ben Lomond High School in Ogden on Nov. 12, E. L. Murphy, member of the Duchesne County School Board, was re-elected a district representative. He will be responsible for District No. 4, which includes Uintah, Duchesne, Wasatch and Utah counties.

Mr. Murphy, who is a veteran member of the local board of education, reported an outstanding convention, with much good coming from the addresses and group meetings. He was particularly impressed with the address of Charles Claybaugh, publisher of the Box Elder News-Journal at Brigham City, whose subject was the School Board and The Press. He urged members of boards to work more closely with their local newspapers for better harmony in the district.

A particular feature of the convention was a visit to the Intermountain Indian School at Brigham City.

Officials at the Uintah-Ouray Indian Reservation, and Ute Tribe offices at Fort Duchesne are in receipt of a telegram from Commissioner Glen L. Emmons, Washington, D. C., sent to L. L. Nelson, acting area director, Phoenix, Arizona area office, setting forth information relative to a Per Capita payment for the Ute Indian Tribe members.

According to Norman Holmes, chief clerk, and R. O Curry, Tribal Committee chairman, the $300 payment will be made on or before Nov. 24. Information came to the Fort yesterday that the checks were being mailed from Los Angeles that day, and baring unforseen circumstances, payment should be made early next week with Monday or Tuesday a possibility.

Following is the complete text of the telegram:

Washington, D. C.
November 10, 1954

L. L. Nelson,
Acting Director,
Phoenix Area Office:

Pursuant to Sections 11 and 12, Act of August 27, 1954, Per Capita payment $300 to members of Ute Tribe of Utah living at midnight August 27, 1954 requested Business Committee Resolution 1069, approved subject following conditions:

1. One-half per capita payment of any mixed blood member shall have deducted therefrom any sum of money owed by such member to the Tribe, either due or to become due.

2. Shares of minors shall be paid to parents and guardians having care and custody of minors.

3. Prior to payment parents or guardians shall file with the Business Committee an application for minor's share, showing amount to be spent for current use and benefit of minors and amounts to be placed in savings or bonds, accepting sole accounting responsibility for amounts received.

4. Shares of minors without parents or guardians or minors not in care or custody of parents or guardians shall be deposited in individual money accounts to be disbursed under regulation Title 25 FR 221 4.

5. No disbursement to any full blood or mixed blood shall be made until a majority of adult mixed bloods have approved pursuant to Section 6 of the Act. Allotment of $550,000 being processed immediately from 14x7471.

GLEN L. EMMONS
Commissioner

Parents Take Places Of Kids At School Nov. 13

Two-Stake Sunday School Meet Draws Big Crowd

The combined two-stake Sunday School conference (Duchesne and Moon Lake) held in Duchesne on Sunday, Nov. 14, was a very great success.

Visiting General Board Members were Mima Rasband, Henery L. Isaksen, Newell B. Weight and Clarence Tyndell.

There was a 90% attendance of teachers and officers, ward bishops, high councilmen and members of the stake presidency, etc. Some wards had 100% attendance.

Theme of the conference was "All Thy Children Shall Be Taught Of The Lord and Great Shall Be the Peace of Thy Children."

Everyone in attendance left the conference with a richer knowledge of good teaching, and a greater awareness of the needs of our people today..

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Stevensen and daughter, Lee Ann, spent Sunday in Neola visiting the family and friends.

A record number of parents attended the Parents' Day program held at the Duchesne High School, Nov. 12, reports Principal Walter T. Williams. Approximately 90 parents attended some part of the all-day program. Only two of the parent group were men, the others were mothers. Luncheon at the school lunch kitchen was served to 75 of the parents.

Seven regular class periods were held during the morning hours; and following the lunch period, an hour-long open forum assembly program was conducted with Principal Williams as moderator.

Consultations between parents and teachers were held during the remainder of the afernoon. Teachers remained in their departments during these periods in order that parents might contact them for private consultations about student or school problems.

School busses made their regular run over the routes to bring the parents to school. Students did not attend school that day.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Case from Salt Lake, visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dwaine Meriwether this weekend.

Ward Building Benefit Dinner, Social Is Planned

By Mrs. Thelma Nye

TABIONA (Special) — Arrangements are complete for a banquet for the benefit of the Tabiona Ward Building Fund, according to Bishop Burnell Turnbow. A good crowd will make it possible to pay off the outstanding indebtedness on the new church building which was built this year at a cost of about $73,000.00. This indebtedness will have to be paid before the building can be dedicated Bishop Turnbow said. Friends and well-wishers from all the Uintah Basin and the State are cordially invited to attend the banquet and a full evening of entertainment.

The banquet will be held in the Tabiona Ward Chapel at 7:30 p.m. Saturday evening on November 20. Turkey with all the trimmings will be featured on the menu. The cost will be $3.00 per plate. During the dinner an outstanding program

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Few Cash Prizes Given At Fair In Duchesne Co.

Cash prizes for entries in the Duchesne County Fair this year were awarded to Future Farmers of America and 4-H Club exhibitors only. Walter T. Williams, fair board chairman, says that the majority of the fair board members voted to give ribbons only to other exhibitors.

No Plans Are Made For Adult Classes

No plans have been made so far for adult education classes at the Duchesne High School this term, reports Principal Walter T. Williams.

Roosevelt And Duchesne Stores Will Use "Greenback" Promotion; Cash Savings Offered By Local Firms

A new and unique type of sales promotion is making its appearance in the Uintah Basin. Several stores in Roosevelt and Duchesne have signed with the company who have devised the new plan which will be known as "Greenbacks." Greenback is a cash dividend coupon and has been so labeled because it is similar in size to United States paper curency.

Merchants in Roosevelt who are prepared to give Greenbacks with purchases are: Cash Meat Market, Merrell Wilkins co-manager; Mitch's Service, manager by Cecil Mitchell; Roosevelt Shoe Shop, Ervil Asay, operator; Drollinger Furniture, Cliff Drollinger, manager; Killians' Service, a Phillips 66 station; "Buzz's Service and Coal Yard, Buzz Larsen, manager.

At Duchesne two establishments, Earl Jensen's Conoco Service, and Duchesne Frozen Food Lockers, managed by Elden Wilcken.

The merchants who participate in the plan distribute to their customers these coupons which are worth actual cash for the face amount. They may be redeemed either for cash or for premiums, the premiums being at a wholesale discount.

While the idea of Greenbacks in the Basin is new, George R. Quist,, account representative for the Greenback Company, stated that the plan first commenced operation in Utah in December of 1941. It was interesting to note, related Mr. Quist, that in the Salt Lake area where the plan was first introduced the initial advertising was carried on Radio Station KSL. It was this program which was interrupted to announce the bombing of Pearl Harbor by the Japanese on Dec. 7, 1941.

With Pearl Harbor and the outbreak of World War II, the directors of the program decided to withhold its further enactment until more normal times and business conditions might better justify.

Before a dealer is licensed to operate under the Greenback plan, his products and trade practices are carefully investigated. If these are found to be questionable, his applocation for franchise is denied. It is the determined aim of Greenbacks that its name associated with any product shall always be a guarantee of honest quality

Know Your Schools . . . .

Frequent Home And School Contacts Necessary

By Arletta Williams
Primary Supervisor

During the past few weeks, a high percentage of the parents of the children attending the schools of Duchesne County, visited the schools and had personal conferences with the teachers. Some schools had as high as seventy-five per cent of their students represented by at least one parent. One teacher reported that she had a conference with a parent of every child in her class. I think this is a remarkable record. This interest in the schools is a clear indication that the schools of Duchesne County belong to the people.

One of the most difficult educational problems is concerned with reporting to parents the educational progress of their children. It is my belief that the ancient and honorable system of grading children by numbers or letters, creates friction between the home and school; that it casts a pall on relations between teachers and parents. It's a system under which teachers pretend to an accuracy they know does not exist; under which children are exalted for doing what they ought to do anyway; and under which they are humiliated for not being able to do what they could not do under any circumstances.

I also believe that the most important part of a reporting system is a teacher conference with parents. I believe such conferences should be held regularly, systematically. The parents calls to the school should become a regular routine and not restricted to times of trouble.

Our schools are to be congratulated on the fine activity called Parents Day. But is once a year enough? Could this activity be held successfully in the evening to permit more fathers to attend and to remove the necessity of children missing a day of school?

There is only one solution to making and keeping our schools the kind of schools we want them to be and that is through better and more frequent contacts between the home and the school.